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## Cherry Wine Or Vinegar

Mr. Neidig, who has resided in Lethbridge for the last 30 years and is a gentleman of undoubted integrity and respectability, went down to the river bottom just at the time wild cherries were ripe and picked a quantity of innocent fruit, intending to make jelly for winter consumption. He was unsuccessful, however, in obtaining sugar to carry out his purpose, and rather than lose the fruit he decided to make a little cherry vinegar for his family use. The vigilant police, in their zeal for prohibition, seized the liquid and alleged that someone in Edmonton declared it to contain 13 per cent of alcohol. The total quantity of the liquid was about seven pints. The victim was fined \$25 and costs under the prohibition Act. If this is the law, all we have to say is the law is an ass, and the Moderation league has not been organized one minute too soon.

Mr. Neidig claims that the police took the whole of the liquid and did not leave him a sample. When seized of this kind are made in civilized countries and proceedings intended, three samples are taken and sealed separately. One is given to the accused, one is sent to the public analyst and one is retained by the authorities. Mr. Neidig states that this was not done in his case, and he was thus unable to disprove the Edmonton allegations—Lethbridge Herald.

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In declining to accede to the century proposal of John Flynn and in giving a negative answer to the request of the G. W. V. A. for money grants to ex-members of the forces based upon length and place of service, the special committee of parliament which dealt with the matter in its report says:

"Parliament freely and unanimously made provisions for the payment of gratuities to every returned man to take him over from three to six months after his return. It is now ascertained that the amount of these gratuities will approximate \$153,000,000, which at five percent in value would represent an interest of \$765,000. No other nation has treated its returned soldiers so generously in this respect."

This report deals with monies advanced for land settlement the department of soldiers civil re-establishment and pro-creas.

"Summing up the whole situation your committees are convinced as regards the problem of re-establishment generally, the Canadian people and their representatives in parliament, as well as the government have always shown an earnest desire to meet any real need that has arisen. In this connection, Parliament heretofore has been parsimonious, but has voted money whenever and whenever it is considered to be necessary. Frequently, however, the opinion was expressed in parliament that the greatest care should be taken to avoid any action that would tend to deprive the soldier from his self-reliance and self-respect.

It is thought to be against the best interests of the soldiers themselves that they should rely unduly upon the state in the period following discharge. Your committee concur in these views. After hearing all the evidence, they agree that the best policy toward the soldier is to surround him with conditions that will tend to strengthen his self-confidence and self-reliance.

## Local News

Whiskey comprised more than one fifth of the estate of Lewis Weller, of New York, whose will was filed recently for probate. Eight barrels, valued at \$1,700, and certificates for sixty barrels at \$5,520 were among the assets.

A red and white cow with calf at foot, cow branded with blank strand on eight ribs, right eye out, appearing to be a general milk cow, can be had by the owner proving property at the ranch of the undersigned and paying for feed and this advertisement.—Jack Eddy, Beaver mines.

Rosie picked up the Lethbridge Herald on Thursday morning, and glancing over the front page a while noticed a heading which read "Rumania is after Hungary." He turned around to McCollion and remarked: "Wadya know about dem things? Rumania is getting hungry."

Local members of the G. W. V. A. have been granted a site for a temporary skating rink by the West Canadian Collieries, and are busy erecting fences to keep out the moonshiners. It is hoped to have a good sheet of ice in readiness within the next two weeks.

The last and greatest programme of the 1919 livery circuit will be "Davis, the Magician" at the opera house on the night of Friday, December the 12th. Davis has proved himself a wonder of wonders, and is interesting and delighting huge audiences on all his Canadian tour.

## Presentation to C.H. Kerr

On the eve of the departure of Lieut. C. H. Kerr for Calgary, he was waited upon by a number of his Blairmore gentlemen friends, who presented him with a beautiful pipe and other "comforters" as a token of esteem and respect in which he is held by them. The presentation was accompanied by a short address. Lieut. Kerr left on Saturday night's train for Calgary, where he assumes command of Sunnyside hospital. He is succeeded at the Frank Sanatorium by Capt. Knight, of Calgary.

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# Farmers to Enter The Federal Arena

Winnipeg.—The Canadian Council of Agriculture, which has been in session here, concluded its business by announcing to the public its decision to enter the field of Dominion politics, and calling a conference of representatives of the farmer organizations of three prairie provinces and Ontario, for the purpose of the coordination of effort to secure the election to the federal parliament of supporters of the new national policy of the council.

In preparation for this event, the platform which was issued a year ago was revised and brought up to date by the addition of planks calling for a federal basis and nationalization.

The decision in regard to the calling of a conference was only reached after a day and a half's debate. The principal point of discussion was if it should be composed of representatives of all the provinces or of only those where there was a working farmers' organization.

A proposition had been submitted by J. B. Musselman, that it should be open to delegates of political organizations in the various provinces, which had for their main object the support of the farmers' platform, but eventually the main resolution was adopted.

The full text of the resolution was as follows:

"Whereas the new national policy advocated in the platform of the Canadian Council of Agriculture is based upon the broad national economic interest of Canada, without respect to any particular class or occupation;

"And whereas a political organization has been promoted within the provincial boundaries of Alberta, Saskatchewan, Manitoba and Ontario;

"And whereas conditions now demand the better co-ordination of the political effort of the organized thus far for the purpose of electing supporters of the national policy of the Dominion Government;

"Be it resolved, that the executive of the Canadian Council of Agriculture be instructed to invite representation from the provinces named herein to a conference to be convened at Centralia on the consideration of these matters."

During the consideration of the national platform, the clause calling for the immediate repeal of the War Time Elections Act was eliminated, the Act having passed out of existence on August 1, and the following substituted:

"That the new Dominion Elections Act shall be based on the principles of establishing the federal electorate on the provincial franchise, thus providing for giving votes for women in the federal elections." The following addition was made to the platform: "We recommend a Nationalization Act based on personal nationalization only."

**Child Burned to Death**  
Hamilton-Dundas, Bayview, six years of age, was fatally burned while her mother was away from the house for a few moments to talk to a neighbor. The child got possession of a lighted candle, which set her night gown on fire.

## Two Killed in Aeroplane Accident

Victory Loan Aeroplane Dashed to Ground Near Eganville

Eganville.—Harry C. Dobbins, pilot formerly of Leaside Camp, Toronto, and James F. Munro, of Pembroke, were both instantly killed when their Victory Loan airplane dashed to the ground in Reeve's field on the outskirts of Eganville. Owing to the heavy fog at the time there were no witnesses to the accident, although the machine was plainly heard approaching the town, it having left literature on the way, and was seen flying low near Eganville.

The bodies of the men were badly bruised through the head and legs and the machine was completely wrecked. James F. Munro was a prominent business man of Pembroke and a former Liberal candidate.

Harry Dobbins and his twin brother, Ted, who were natives of Moose Jaw, Sask., have been engaged in an airplane company enterprise in the East and had met with much success. Both had seen service overseas and had been sent back as "stunt" instructors at Arment Heights, Toronto.

## Police Raid Seattle Paper

Editor and Several Employees Are Seized, Together With the Entire Plant

Seattle, Wash.—Federal officers raided the office of the Seattle Union Record and seized the plant and several employees. E. Ball, the editor, among them.

United States District Attorney Robert C. Saunders said the office was raided on instructions from Washington, D.C.

The Record editorially said the rioting at Centralia was "the result of a long series of illegal acts by the dead former soldiers themselves."

**Improvement in Wilson's Health**  
Washington.—President Wilson, in a cablegram to Queen Mother Alexandra of Great Britain, said he was happy to say that his health was improving.

His message was in reply to one from the Queen thanking him for receiving her grandson, the Prince of Wales, and expressing the hope that his rest would give him fresh strength and health for the future.

**House of Lords Rejects Women**  
London.—The House of Lords rejected the clause in the Bill for the removal of sex disqualifications, which would permit women to sit in the House of Lords. The clause, in the form of an amendment, was added to the Bill by the House of Commons, and this has been particularly the case in connection with stock cars. In order to expedite the stock movement, the railways have been forced to furnish box cars for local stock movement, on the basis of two box cars to handle the number of animals ordinarily handled in one stock car, which has delayed the use of box cars for other purposes.

"In addition to all this the severe weather and heavy snowstorms have necessarily slowed up the movement of traffic to some extent and has interfered with the distribution of supplies through the necessity for using engines to operate snowplows instead of hauling trains of empties.

"Preference in car supply and maintenance is being given to feed and stock, and every possible effort is being put forth by the railway to relieve the situation as speedily as possible. It is right, however, that the public should be informed as to the conditions under which the railways are operating."

**Smallpox Cases in Ontario**  
Toronto.—The medical health officer reports 263 cases of smallpox in this city, an increase of 36 cases with 873 exposed persons under quarantine.

The provincial health department reports 133 cases outside of Toronto.

## War Board On The Car Shortage

Railway War Board Issues Statement Dealing With Handling of Coal and Feed

Winnipeg.—Owing to unusual conditions through the West prevailing, the western branch of the Railway War Board issued this statement:

"The demands made upon the railways equipment and facilities in Western Canada during the past two or three weeks have rarely been exceeded. This is due to a variety of causes. In the first place, owing to the three months' strike in the Western Canadian mines, many points in the prairie provinces were caught by the early coming in of winter, practically without any coal whatever, and the sudden severe weather which has extended all over the West has created an unprecedented demand for coal. The tonnage of western coal being handled to Manitoba and Saskatchewan is tremendous greater than has been handled in previous years, and this means a heavy load on the railways in the movement of grain and stock, and the handling of thousands of empty cars west of the mines. This coal to a large extent formerly came in the grain empties returning from the lake head—but the shortage of American anthracite this year and the greater favor in which western coal is now held for domestic purposes has caused an enormous increase in the movement from the western mines, and has placed upon the railways a correspondingly increased burden."

"The dry season in Southern Alberta and Southern Saskatchewan, resulting, as it has, in large sections of stock-raising territory being denuded of feed, has caused an extraordinary heavy movement of stock from these sections to the markets, as well as a large movement from these sections to portions of northern Alberta and Saskatchewan where feed is plentiful, or can be produced, and the railways are also being called upon to handle thousands of cars of feed into the drought areas, which are not handled in ordinary years.

The heavy snowfalls made it necessary that this stock be moved out and feed handled at once, to prevent suffering, and the railways are exerting every effort to accomplish this.

"The severe weather, resulting in a stoppage of fall-harrowing and other farm work, has been followed by a heavy demand for marketing, and this, together with the demand for increased exportation of wheat, has added to the burdens of the railways.

"A very acute shortage of cars in the United States has made it exceedingly difficult to secure return of Canadian cars going into the States loaded, and this has been particularly the case in connection with stock cars. In order to expedite the stock movement, the railways have been forced to furnish box cars for local stock movement, on the basis of two box cars to handle the number of animals ordinarily handled in one stock car, which has delayed the use of box cars for other purposes.

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**Sinn Fein M.P.'s in Court**

Members of British House Sentenced to Two Months' Imprisonment

Dublin.—The Sinn Fein members of the British House of Commons who were arrested in the raids on the offices of the Sinn Fein parliament were arraigned in the police court on the charge of participating in forbidden proceedings. They refused to recognize the court, and each was sentenced to two months' imprisonment.

Among those arrested were John Mahoney, John Hayes, and Frank Lawless.

## Star's Flight to Australia

London.—Captain Ross, a British aviator, has left the Hounslow aviation field in an attempt to fly to Australia. Captain Smith has made several long flights. In 1918 he flew from Cairo, Egypt, to Bagdad, Asia Minor, and Turkey, and later from Cairo to Karachi, British India.

**Miners Will Now Accept Court Ruling**

## Quebec's Premier May Resign

Sir Lomer Gouin Is Leaving for Europe After Session, and May Retire First

Quebec.—With the announcement by the Quebec government that the next session of the government will open on December 10 come the renewal of rumors that Sir Lomer Gouin had announced his resignation. It is generally conceded here, even by the Liberals, that Sir Lomer Gouin will shortly retire from leadership in the province of Quebec, but whether or not he told his cabinet when he would withdraw was not divulged by any of the members.

When spoken to by newspapermen and asked directly if there was any truth in the story of his resignation, the premier is said to have replied: "No, the session has been called."

It is known that Sir Lomer is leaving for Europe after the session, and he may resign before he leaves. Rumors also announce that he would be succeeded by Hon. J. E. Caron, minister of finance.

## Referendum Probable

In Manitoba

Liquor Action Will Not Be Taken Up at Same Time as Elections

Winnipeg.—As soon as peace is officially signed, the importation of liquor into Manitoba will be legal, J. N. MacLean, administrator of the Manitoba Temperance Act, announced.

He stated he found a clause in the Act which can be invoked to prevent export of liquor from this province.

With regard to the attitude of the provincial government, Hon. Mr. Brown stated that it is their desire to have the people express their wishes in regard to referendum, but it is unlikely that such referendum would be submitted at the time of the elections next summer as the issue might cloud party platforms.

**Lost at Sea**

Two of the Crew of H.M.S. Renown Swept Overboard

Halifax, N.S.—William Franklin and John Laight, able-bodied seamen of the crew of the British battle cruiser Renown, were lost at sea when the ship, plowing through a gale, was coming from here to Trinidad to take the Prince of Wales home.

Midshipman Richard Knight was taken from the big battle cruiser to the Presbyterian hospital with both legs broken as the result of tempestuous weather.

Shortly after running into the gale, Midshipman Knight, with a crew of four, hastened to the deck to save some of the movable gear of the ship. While they were working, a heavy sea swept over the bows and jammed them against the breakwater, fracturing the midshipman's legs and carrying Laight overboard. A lifeboat was lowered, manned by a crew of fourteen. As this boat reached the water it was capsized by another huge wave, and its occupants were thrown into the sea. General quarters were sounded and a portside lifeboat was lowered. All of the crew of the first lifeboat except Franklin were rescued.

**Cabinet and Irish Question**

British Government Is Much Embarrassed by Publication of Plan for Settlement

London.—The cabinet is about to take up consideration of the proposals of the cabinet committee on the subject of Ireland.

It was learned from authoritative sources that the government is much embarrassed by the publication of what is purported to be the government plan for the settlement of the Irish problem. The Associated Press is officially informed that all stories hitherto printed are necessarily speculative and incorrect, because the government has not yet formulated its proposals and cannot until the committee's report is considered.

## Romania's Reply Unsatisfactory

Paris.—The reply of Romania to the allied note recently presented, in which it was again demanded that

Hungary be evacuated, is regarded in peace conference circles as wholly unsatisfactory. The note, which was taken up for consideration by the subcommittee of the alliance, was extremely evasive.

## Manitoba Good Roads

Winnipeg.—During the past week applications from eight Manitoba municipalities for road work under the Good Roads Act have been approved, to the amount of more than \$1,000,000.

# Confer With Jellicoe On Naval Policy.

## Railwaymen to Get Increased Pay

New Rates Are Effective as From May 1 Last, When Negotiations Were Opened

Montreal.—It is announced by the Canadian Railway War Board that an agreement providing for increases in rates of pay and certain changes in working conditions was signed by the board, acting on behalf of the railways concerned, and by the officials of Division No. 4, railway employees' department, American Federation of Labor, which includes in its membership Canadian railway employees engaged in the locomotive and car departments.

The agreement was signed on behalf of the board by the chairmen of its administrative committee, Grant Head and for the employees by Messrs. R. T. Taitton, Frank MacKenzie, and Charles Dicke, president, vice-president and secretary respectively of the labor organizations.

Negotiations which culminated in the agreement completed were commenced in May last. The employees officially signed, the importation of liquor into Manitoba will be legal, J. N. MacLean, administrator of the Manitoba Temperance Act, announced.

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**Viscount Grey**

May Recover Sight

Washington Specialists Diagnosed Cause in an Abscessed Tooth

Halifax, N.S.—The Canadian Press learns on the most reliable authority (a passenger on one of the big liners coaling here) that the cause for the blindness of which Viscount Grey, British ambassador to Washington, is afflicted, has been diagnosed by an eminent United States specialist, Dr. Wilson, of Washington. The origin of the affliction is said to have been found in an abscessed tooth, which has impaired the optic nerve.

Viscount Grey, it will be recalled, was obliged to withdraw from political life on account of this affliction and it was only for reasons of vital principle bound up in the appointment that he accepted temporarily the position of ambassador.

The belief is now entertained that the discovery of the cause of blindness does not come too late, and it is even believed that his sight may be fully recovered.

## White Sugar Coming

Winnipeg.—While wholesale sugar dealers say the public must get along with brown sugar owing to the scarcity of the white, they still assert that the good granulated is being sent overseas by the boatload.

## Austria Granted Credit

Copenhagen.—The entente has granted a credit of \$60,000,000 to Austria, according to the Vienna Tagblatt.

This will be utilized principally for the purchase of raw materials.

Winnipeg.—A dispatch to the Free Press from Ottawa corresponds reads: Admiral Viscount Jellicoe, of Scapa, is expected in Ottawa next Monday and will be at the capital for some days conferring with the government on the question of the future of empire naval defences. The conference will be of a consultative nature, and no definite policy will be immediately evolved as a result of it.

Admiral Jellicoe has visited Australia and New Zealand already, and from cable dispatches received here has suggested something in the nature of an imperial navy for the Pacific and Atlantic with the dominions paying part of the cost of the squadrons.

Since the defeat in parliament in 1913 of the government's thirty-five million appropriation proposal, Canada has had no naval policy. What the government proposes to do with the navy is to devote the whole energies of the Dominion, financial and otherwise, to the raising and equipping of land forces, toward the end of the war the building of merchant ships was engaged upon.

Incidentally, a number of submarines were built in the Dominion for use in European waters. But the question of a permanent naval policy for the Dominion has been left in abeyance since the Canadian navy program was to all intents and purposes abandoned in 1913.

Hon. C. C. Ballantyne, minister of marine and naval affairs, has returned to his departmental work at Ottawa after a prolonged illness, and will be in attendance at the conference which is pending. The minister has already intimated that a naval policy for the Dominion will be brought down at the next session of parliament.

It is highly doubtful whether any contribution policy will find favor with parliament. A cable dispatch from Mebourne intimates that Canada would be required to contribute to the upkeep of the squadrons of the Pacific and Atlantic which are in the service of the opposition who required of the administration is to the truth of it. Hon. C. J. Doherty in reply advised the government was to set his mind at rest as Admiral Jellicoe had no power to command the Dominion to any policy and comes here in a consultative capacity.

As a matter of fact, Admiral Jellicoe is but filling an invitation extended him actually before the war broke out, and in the matter of a Canadian naval policy the present condition of Canadian finances must be taken very seriously into account.

## Yudenitch Still in Grave Position

Washington.—Despite the repulse of Bolshevik attacks on both flanks of his line, Gen. Yudenitch, commanding the northwestern army in Russia, still is in a most critical situation, according to official sources here. Evacuation of Yaroslav was reported, and it was said that large Bolshevik forces probably released by inactivity on frontiers, were approaching the line of the Tzara.

## Bulgaria to Sign Peace Treaty

Paris.—The peace conference has received information that the Bulgarian government has decided to accept and sign the treaty as presented to the Bulgarian delegation.

Indianapolis.—The United Mine Workers of America, contrary to previous announcements, has decided to withdraw the appeal to the ruling of the federal court in injunction proceedings, which resulted in the calling off of the strike of miners.

It had been generally believed that, regardless of developments in the situation, the miners would fight the strike to the last ditch, and so far as the coal workers announced that their appeal would be withdrawn within two or three days. However, Henry Warrum, chief counsel for the Mine Workers' organization, stated that the outcome of the conference of the miners' representatives and coal operators with Secretary of Labor Wilson, in Washington, would determine to a large extent whether the case is carried forward.

The miners' council has filed a suit against the mine operators to enjoin the strike still in effect.

Mine workers declined to comment on the way in which members of the organization are responding to the order calling off the strike, and would give no reports from the district headquarters. Very few of the miners in the Indiana coal fields reported for work, and it is believed that operation in the fields can be started extensively before next week.



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## Local Talent Entertainment

On Thursday, November 27th Mrs. F. G. Graham, of Coleman, will present a three-act farce entitled "Never Again," to be staged in the Blairmore Opera House. Below will be found the programme and synopsis:

### "Never Again"

A Farce in Three Acts

BY LOCAL TALENT

Under the Direction of Mrs. F. G. Graham

#### CAST OF CHARACTERS:

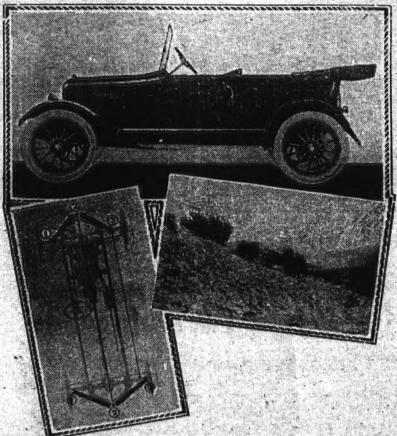
Rufus Fletcher.....	A RETIRED MERCHANT.....	Mr. Stanley Pizer
Charlotte Fletcher.....	HIS WIFE.....	Miss Louise Price
Ruth Hunt.....	THEIR DAUGHTERS.....	{ Miss Jean Reid Miss Elsa Disney
Marion Fletcher.....		
Howard Hunt, an author.....	HUSBAND OF RUTH.....	Mr. Charles Scott
Oliver Pendel, a musician, IN LOVE WITH MARION.....	Mr. Arthur Graham	
Dr. Cutler.....	A PHYSICIAN.....	Mr. A. B. Carson
Dora Marie.....	MAIDS IN THE FLETCHER HOUSEHOLD.....	{ Miss Charlotte Easton Miss Dot Graham
Julian Beaulieu.....	CHEF IN THE HOTEL GRAND.....	Mr. Luke Lindoe
Otto Stein.....	A MAN-O'-WAR'S MAN.....	Mr. Ross Powel
Sergt. O'Flynn.....	A POLICE OFFICER.....	Mr. E. E. Margerison

TIME—The present. LOCALITY—New York City.

ACT I.—Dining Room in home of the Fletchers. Morning—Rufus' dream and the horrible wringer that rolled him out flat. Oliver opposed as a son-in-law. Marion firm. Oliver and Rufus meet, to the discomfiture of the former. Dora's reference. The New Maid. Rufus starts for Philadelphia; Charlotte and Marion for Rufus'. Otto's forgetfulness. Return of Rufus. Arrival of jealous Julian. Julian and Puss have an interview. Rufus invited for luncheon by Dora and Marie; compelled to drink his own wine and smoke his own cigars. Julian's threat.

ACT II.—Same as Act I. Afternoon. Luncheon is finished. Another masquerade ball for Rufus. Marie makes a discovery. Howard and Oliver lend assistance. Marie breaks her engagement. The predicament of Rufus. His backslidings enumerated. Help forthcoming. Julian on the warpath. O'Flynn does his duty. All off for the station house. The two flower girls. The startling appearance of Rufus'. Charlotte, Ruth and Marion discover things. Julian's threat.

ACT III.—Scene same as Acts I and II. Next morning. Dr. Cutler's aid needed. Account of the burglary in the morning newspapers. The ballad dancer's disguise imperfect. Charlotte's confusion and story of what she discovered. Rufus determines to investigate the robbery and other matters. Howard and Oliver home again. Dora's explanations.



Above is shown the new, made-in-Canada Overland 4. It is being manufactured at Toronto by Willys-Overland Limited, who announce that production on a quantity basis has now been reached.

The chassis is illustrated along with the finished touring car model because of its radical departure in spring suspension. It will be seen from the drawing that the "springbase" exceeds the wheelbase by 30 inches. This exclusive "three-point" principle is the basis of the manufacturers' claim that the springs of Overland 4 give it a riding comfort hitherto not realized in a light car of the economical short wheelbase.

Willys-Overland Limited claim that this new spring suspension has been subjected to the most rigorous, mechanical, laboratory, and road tests that engineers have ever devised, including 250,000 miles of road testing. The hill-climbing scene above was taken in Hell Canyon, near Albuquerque, New Mexico.

The first Monday in December has been set as nomination day for the municipality and school district of Blairmore.

The grand total of the Victory Loan for the Dominion of Canada reached \$673,199,790. The city of Toronto subscribed \$146,379,500; the city of Montreal \$126,101,200; and the city of Blairmore \$58,200.

Parties are now trying to identify the remains of a chicken that met a somewhat natural fate on the night of Hallowe'en. Evidence of the chicken having visited several places in town on that night before deciding to submit to the cruel axeman has been found, and the parties guilty of this assassination will likely be brought before a judge of the "piece" to be feathered.

## Community Service

THAT is what the ENTERPRISE stands for. We intend to be of service to everyone located in the Crows' Nest Pass.

We are endeavoring to get correspondents and aim at fuller local news reports, while eliminating anything approaching scandal or personal unpleasantness. It is our desire to make the ENTERPRISE one of the best local weeklies in Alberta.

A Newspaper performs a vital service to a community. It binds the scattered threads together and assists community developments socially and commercially. You can do your part to assist us in our aims. If a workman your subscription helps, if a business man your advertising and job printing.

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Blairmore, Alta., Thurs., Nov. 20, 1919

## Local and General

In England at the present time there are 1,886,000 more females than there are males.

It is estimated that one in every thirty of the allied soldiers who entered France married a French bride.

The district secretary of the Great War Veterans' Association has secured an office in The Enterprise block.

Emperor Pick has purchased a Victoria Street business block in Blairmore, which he hopes to convert into a reformatory.

Dr. Buchanan, a missionary who has labored in India for thirty-one years, lectures at the Institutional church, Coleman, on Friday night.

An Overland touring car attempted to put a C.P.R. train off the track near Frank last night. As a result of the impact a big car has had to enter hospital at Frank and the auto is being attended to by specialists at Blairmore.

Down in Lethbridge the ladies are tossing their hats into the ring; at Coleman they are throwing up the sponge; and in Blairmore they are coughing up moonshine. It's all in a lifetime.

Ritchie, Patterson & Co., auditors are busy getting out a statement of the town's financial affairs for submission to the annual meeting of ratepayers to be held on Monday night next.

Mr. Simmons, of Lethbridge, representing the Colonial Tailoring Co., was in town this week. Mr. Simmons intends making regular trips to this territory booking orders for tailor-made suits, etc.

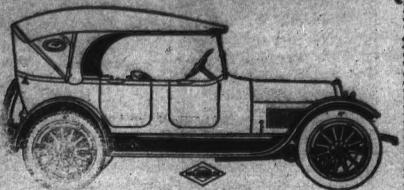
Arrived by breakfast time on Sunday morning last at Eastern Star Lodge, one famous French Old Ann, seeking board and lodging, six tons on one foot, six fingers on the other, long beard, and Scotch cap to match, supposed to belong to the "black and white" cocktail regiment. Owner can have same by paying for this ad. Apply to The Enterprise office.

OPERA HOUSE  
Monday, Nov. 17Third Grand Lyceum Attraction  
Sergt. Walter McRae  
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McRae's Lecture carries a punch with Every Sentence

Several Films of High-  
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For those without season tickets: Adults 50c. Children 25c.



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## Just Arrived

A Carload of McLaughlin Specials—1920 Model

New Fords—with self starters

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## Blairmore Enterprise

Opening of the Claresholm  
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SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE

Classes in practical Agriculture and Household Science will commence OCTOBER 29, 1919.

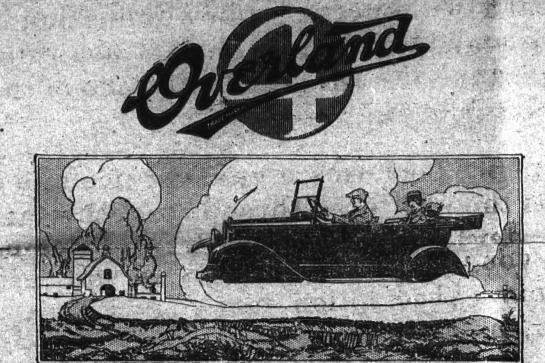
Students must be sixteen years of age before being admitted.

## THE COURSE IS FREE

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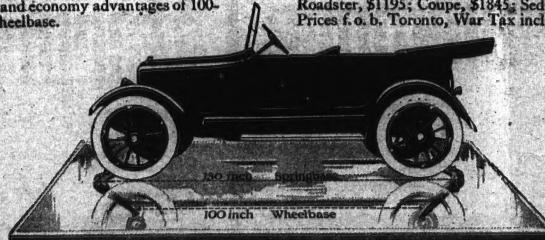


## With Three-Point Suspension Springs New Overland 4 Seems to "Sail Over the Roads"

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Bumping, twisting, swaying and vibrating are wonderfully lessened.

The springs of Overland 4, attached at the ends of a 130-inch Springbase, give the riding comfort and road steadiness heretofore possible only with cars of long wheelbase and great weight, yet Overland 4 retains the light weight and economy advantages of 100-inch wheelbase.



## The Blairmore Hardware Co.

The famous pictures "Mickey" were shown to a capacity house here on Saturday night last.

The New York Herald of Sunday, November the 16th, contains "The Gateways of Canada," by H. S. Philpot, an illustrated article showing where are located the great gates through which pass in and out the enormous commerce of the prosperous Dominion.

Are you going visiting? Let us know

A local restaurant proprietor appeared before the local J. P. on Saturday at the invitation of Mr. Evans-Jones, of the provincial department of health, to answer to the charge of having kept a portion of his premises in an unsanitary condition. He was fined \$5 and costs, in all \$5.75. A similar charge was laid against a Coleman restauranteur, but the case was eventually dismissed. Mr. Putman represented the provincial health department in both cases.

## Rivetless Ship

There has been much discussion of late about the feasibility of building electrically-welded steamships and thereby avoiding the time and expense consumed in riveting.—From England comes word of the completion of a rivetless 275-ton barge, supposedly the largest electrically-welded craft so far produced. It is 123 feet over all, and 10 feet beam. The hull is rectangular in section amidships, but the bilge plates being curved. All water-tight joints as far up as the latter

are continuously welded on both sides, while those thereafter are tack-welded on one side. The process permitted an estimated saving of from 25 to 40 per cent. in time and 10 per cent. in material. The expense of welding amounted to \$1,500, \$800 of which went for electrodes. The number of rivets that would be less than 60 per cent. Another experimental barge, with certain parts riveted and others welded, is to be built.

Have you an item of news, such as someone come to town, or someone gone visiting? Phone to the Enterprise. It will be appreciated.

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## Controlling the Liquor Traffic

The most efficient method of controlling the liquor traffic with the object of eliminating the abuses and excesses which seem to be inseparable from it has long been the subject of agitation and legislation. Possibly no one question has resulted in the passage of a greater volume of legislative, the enactment of more restrictive laws, or the taking of more votes, than that of public control of the traffic in intoxicants. And notwithstanding it all, we are still far from having solved the problem in a satisfactory manner.

The outbreak of the Great War, and the imperative necessity imposed upon all nations of conserving their resources in man-power, productive supplies, and food supplies, led to the enactment as war measures of stronger restrictive measures than had ever before been generally acceptable to the masses of the people. Many ardent temperance reformers believed that these restrictive laws would be continued after the war, and that in a generation or two the blind of the liquor traffic would be an evil of the past.

It is now quite apparent that many of these restrictive laws will cease to function with the declaration of Peace, which may be proclaimed for the British Empire before this article appears in print, and in any event cannot now be long delayed. One reform brought about by the war will, however, prove lasting; that is, the open bar with all its evils and open temerity and its pernicious treating habit, has gone forever to the grave.

Actual experience during the war has demonstrated that existing prohibitory legislation is not as conclusively prohibitive as the authors of such laws anticipated they would be. On the contrary, violations of the law are so numerous, and are so little regarded by the average person, that a condition of things has been brought about in all these Western Provinces which is little short of a scandal, and which is certainly detrimental to a proper respect for law and subservience of good morals.

In the United States, the people have declared for nation-wide prohibition of the sale, manufacture, importation, and exportation of intoxicating liquors for beverage purposes. In Canada, on the other hand, we have an Dominion-wide law, nor is it present does there seem much likelihood of its being changed. For this reason, the Canadian Senate has shown very clearly that it will not give approval to such legislation, and the House of Commons has ever before it the attitude of Quebec, which is antagonistic to an absolutely prohibitory law.

Control and restriction of the liquor traffic in Canada continues, therefore, to be a subject for provincial action, supplemented by such Federal action to assist the provinces as the provinces by vote of their people may demand.

If your tea or coffee  
does make you restless  
or nervous, try

## POSTUM

This delightful cereal drink is not only wholesome and economical but is truly satisfying in its rich coffee-like flavour. It can be served to the youngest as well as oldest, for it leaves absolutely no harmful after-effects.

According to legislation passed at the recent special session of Parliament, the manufacture of liquor is prohibited, except for purposes of export, in those provinces which prohibit sales. Furthermore, the importation of liquor into the Canadian provinces can be made illegal if the legislature of a province takes by resolution that a plebiscite vote taken by the Federal authorities within such province on the subject of importation, and a majority of the voters declare in favor of prohibiting such importation. But after peace is proclaimed, and until such a plebiscite is asked for and held and a verdict favorable to prohibition rendered, importation of liquor for personal use, but not for sale, will be perfectly legal in all Canadian provinces. Thus the prohibitions which have been in force under orders in council will cease with the proclamation of peace.

So long as importation into a province is legal, it is manifestly impossible for any provincial legislature or government to enforce prohibition of the liquor traffic. It can prohibit the sale of liquor, but that is all. And so long as importation is legally permitted, existing abuses against which a large section of the people are complaining will continue. And at the same time it will not be impossible to stop such importation for from six months to a year.

When such a plebiscite vote is eventually held in any province, and if the popular verdict should be to permit importation, then the provincial authorities will have to seriously consider whether it would not be better to provide for some form of regulated and controlled sale within the province, rather than "the door left wide open to indiscriminate individual importation of liquor in unlimited quantities." Should the people of a province decide in favor of permitting importation, most thoughtful temperance advocates believe that some form of government dispensary based on the mail order system, and patterned somewhat after the system which at one time was in vogue in Saskatchewan, should be established.

On the other hand, if the people decide against importation, then the utmost care must be exercised in the drafting of the most drastic kind of provincial laws to prevent a repetition of abuses which are now unfortunately so general.

Whatever the nature of the laws enacted, they must have back of them the force of a strong public opinion in order to prove effective and beneficial. In the last analysis it is the people who make the laws, and unless a law has the support of the people it will not be observed and cannot be enforced.

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If there's any pleasure to shaving you get it with AutoStrop Razor.

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## The Canadian Wheat Crop

Estimated by the Government at 193,000,000 bushels

The Canadian wheat crop for 1919-20 is estimated by the government at 193,000,000 bushels, or about 4,000,000 more than that of last year. According to authorities on agriculture, Canada requires for home consumption approximately 40,000,000 bushels of wheat, and for seed about 35,000,000, making a total of 75,000,000 bushels.

Canada's exportable wheat in 1919-20 will therefore be about 113,000,000 bushels, as compared with 103,611,000 in the last twelve months, or about 10,000,000 bushels. This will allow of a few million bushels for the carry-over stock on August 1, 1920.

The production of wheat in Europe and other lands, India, down, and Canada's prospects of a good market is very bright. If credits are satisfactorily arranged, there is no reason why Canada should not practically sell out everything. Great Britain and Ireland will require at least 180,000,000 bushels, or about 70,000,000 more than Canada has to export.

Look out for dark days when the weather man predicts light rains.

Warts will render the prettiest hands unsightly. Clear the excrescence by using Holloway's Corn Cure, which acts thoroughly and painlessly.

## Western Canada's 1919 Crop

While exact figures are not yet obtainable, wheat authorities now seem to be conforming to the general opinion that Canada's total yield of wheat this year will be 248,000,000 bushels, as compared with 180,000,000 bushels last year. Of this crop, the share of the Western Provinces is 160,000,000 bushels, or over two-thirds of the total yield.

In addition, one of the most reliable sources in Canada has estimated that the West will produce 227,000,000 bushels of oats, 37,000,000 bushels of barley, 6,000,000 bushels of rye, and over 2,000,000 bushels of rye.

Suspect not a friend's word, but rather his meaning.

## Community Interest

The Teacher an Important Factor in Community Life.

"What does the community expect of the teacher?" To this question there is but one answer, "Everything," according to Col. T. E. Parrett, principal of Regina Normal school, who delivered the principal address before the teachers and trustees of Saskatoon district recently. He urged strongly upon the teachers the necessity for getting the entire community interested in the school, by the use of libraries, parent teacher associations, and other practical measures.

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BY  
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(Continued.)

"I've been thinking while you've been too busy to think," said Conward. "When here's transportation, this is one of the new centers in America, which has a north and south trade equal to its east and west trade. We're in the middle of the country. Every town that goes into the North—and it is a mighty, North—means more and more north and south trade. The development of the Pacific Coast, the industrialization of Asia, the opening of the Panama Canal—these mean east and west trade. Every railway that taps this country must come to his city, because we have the start, and are too big to be ignored."

"City is good," said Dave.

"All right. Stoof as much as you like. Have your joke before it turns on you. There'll be a quarter of a million people here before you're dead, if you play fair with the life insurance people."

"Go on."

"Then there's the soil—the richest soil in the world. Just dry enough to keep it from leaching. Natural possibilities for irrigation wherever necessary."

"I'm not sure about it as a grain country," interrupted Dave, with a touch of antagonism.

"That is because you were brought up on a ranch and are a rancher at heart," Conward shot back. "No rancher is ever sure of any country being a grain country. All they care is if the farmer comes it is good-bye to the country. Just as the farmland blackguarding is declining, keep the stockmen out, so is the stockmen blackguarding the climate to keep the farmer out. But they're coming. They can't be stopped. It's only a case of education—or advertising."

"I tell you, Dave, the movement is on now, and before long it'll hit us like a tidal wave. I've been a bit of a gambler all my life, but this is the biggest jack-pot ever, and I'm going to sit in. How about you?"

"I'd like to think it over. Promotion doesn't come very fast on this job, that's sure."

"Yes, and while you are thinking it over chances are slipping by. Don't think it over—put it over. I tell you,

Dave, there are big things in the air. They are beginning to move already. Have you noticed the strangers in town of late? That's the advance guard."

"Advance guard of a real estate boom?"

"Huh! That's a bad word. Get away from it. Say 'Industrial development'."

"All right—industrial development. And do we have to have an advance guard of strangers to bring about industrial development?"

"Sure. That's the only way. You never heard of the old-timers in a town booming—it the term goes between us—did you? Never. The old resident is always dearer than the town, no matter how dead the town may be. And this business is a science. The right gang can spring it anywhere, and almost any time.

"Let me elaborate. We'll say Alkal Lake is a railway station where lots are being bought at a hundred dollars each. It drops a well-dressed stranger—buys ten lots at a hundred and fifty each—and the old-timers are chuckling over sticking him. But in drops another stranger and buys a block of lots at two hundred each. Then the old timers begin to wonder if they didn't sell too soon. By the time the fourth or fifth stranger has dropped in they are dead sure of it, and they are trying to buy their lots back. All sorts of rumors get started, nobody knows how. New railroads are coming, big factories are to be built, lumber has been found, etc., etc., there's secret war between great moneyed interests. The town council meets and changes the name to Silver City—having regard, no doubt, to the alkali in the sewage water. The old-timers, and all, that great, innocent public which is—for ever hoping to get something for nothing, are now glad to buy the lots at five hundred to ten thousand dollars each, and by the time they've bought it the gang moves on. It's the smoothest game in the world, and every community will fall for it at least twice. Well, they're here."

"Of course, it's a little different in this case, because there really is something in the way of natural advantages to support it. It's not all hot air. That'll make the event just so much bigger."

"Now, Dave, I've been dipping in a little here, but if it struck you, might you, together with the deal, your paper has considerable weight, and if that weight falls the right way, you won't find me stingy. For instance, an item that this property—" he produced a slip with some legal descriptions—"has been sold for ten thousand dollars to eastern investors—very conservative investors from the East, don't forget that—might help to turn another deal that's just hanging. Sorry to keep you so long, but perhaps you can catch the press yet."

And with one of his friendly mannerisms, Conward departed.

Dave sat for some minutes in quietude. He was discouraged with his salary, or, rather, with the lack of prospect of any increase in his salary. Conward's words had been very unctuous. They pulled in opposite directions. They fired him with a new enthusiasm for his city, and they intimated that a gang of professional land-gamblers was soon to perpetrate an enormous thief, leaving the public holding the sack. Still there must be a middle course somewhere.

He walked to his little window and looked across the warm prairie. No buildings cut his view from the brown hillsides where the lazy mists of autumn beckoned to be out and free. It was a sleepy cow-town still, and yet, as he now recalled, a new pulse had been throbbing its arteries of late.

The proportion of strangers—men from the East, at least, was put forward, and before long it'll hit us like a tidal wave. I've been a bit of a gambler all my life, but this is the biggest jack-pot ever, and I'm going to sit in. How about you?"

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## Of Local and General Interest

All the world is a camera—look pleasant, please.

The infant child of Dr. and Mrs. Olivier died at Coleman on Saturday last.

Roger Haddad has returned to Bellevue from a visit to the leading cities in Eastern Canada and the States.

Miss Stothers, principal of the Frank public school, spent last week end with friends in Leith bridge.

About sixty young people attended the whist drive given under the auspices of the Anglican church in the Masonic hall on Friday night last.

The local great war veterans' association will hold a grand masquerade ball in the opera house on the night of Wednesday, December the 3rd. Costumes will be available.

The bible says "there shall be wars and rumors of wars," but some local guy says "there shall be weddings and rumors of weddings." Already that guy's prophecy shows signs of coming true.

The Oddfellows and Rebekahs of Coleman will give a grand masquerade ball in the Coleman opera house on New Year's Eve, when prizes will be awarded to the best dressed lady and gent, the best representative lady and gent, and the best comic lady and gent.

The Rebekahs' whist drive held on Thursday night last was the greatest success of the season. About seventy young and older people attended and brought the affair to a pleasant climax with a dance which lasted until 2 in the morning.

Bennie more than doubled his Victory Loan quota by \$137,000.

A. M. Morrison, of Coleman, secured the agency for the Ford Motor Co.

A shipment of Alberta, horse meat is being made to the Euro pean markets from Edmonton.

In proportion to its size, Blairmore has more miles of railway than any other country.

Miss Cruikshank, of Medicine Hat, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Henderson for a few days.

J. E. Gillis visited Lethbridge this week, where he represented local clients in legal cases.

Foremost district won no less than twenty-four credits for their Victory Loan honor flag. There is talk of changing the name of that town to Crestmost.

True bills were returned by the grand jury at Winnipeg against F. J. Dixon and J. S. Woodsworth, charging them with publishing seditious libel. There are six counts against Mr. Woodsworth.

While we are complaining about a sugar shortage, France is experiencing a salt famine. The time may come when people will have to take their porridge "straight."

Saranac Lake, New York, claims the distinction of being the only "flyless" town in the world. This result was accomplished by the screening and frequent removal of all garbage and decayed matter.

From 34 degrees below zero to a real midsummer temperature was the change experienced in The Pass last week. Ten days ago we had fifteen inches of snow, and today the ground is bare and dry.

The wheat board has set a price of \$10.10 per barrel on standard grade flour.

Mrs. Curran Grier died at Macleod on Sunday morning last after a lingering illness.

The session of the coal committee was for two full days this week elicited very little local interest.

The ladies auxiliary of St. Anne's church will hold a whist drive and dance in the Masonic hall on Friday night.

W. J. Hartley, proprietor of The Enterprise, left this week to attend the annual convention of the Canadian Press Association at Toronto.

Major A. C. C. Johnston, who recently arrived back to Lundbreck from overseas, was a visitor with old friends in Blairmore over the weekend. Major Johnston is looking well, despite the fact of his going over the top "over there" and becoming a hymen victim since.

A representative of the Private Peat Canadian Lyceum Bureau, the latest Chautauquas institution in Canada, will visit Blairmore in the near future, according to a letter received by us. This organization claims to have something new in the form of a "local committee sharing contract."

"Robert," said the teacher sternly, "did your father whip you for what you did in school yesterday?" "No ma'am," said Robert, "he didn't; he said it would hurt him more than it would me." "Nonsense," replied the teacher, "your father is entirely too sympathetic." "Oh, I don't know," said Robert; "Paw's got rheumatism in both arms."

Construction of the new provincial institute of technology will shortly begin at Calgary.

Because of a grain shortage, local distillers are obliged to manufacture intoxicants from onions and garlic.

A grand masquerade ball will be given by local veterans at the opera house on the night of Wednesday, December the 3rd.

The initiatory degree was conferred at the regular meeting of the local Oddfellows' Lodge on Tuesday night. Officers for the coming term were nominated.

George Patterson and family have returned to Bellevue from Winnipeg. Mr. Patterson will again assume the management of the Frank Line Co., and hopes to start operations soon.

The Blairmore Trading Co. report that Saturday's business was the heaviest they have ever experienced, due to a very large extent to liberal and systematic advertising.

The F. M. Thompson Co. hope to be into their new store on or about December the 18th. Work on the new building is being pushed by Contractor Posti, who has a large gang of men employed.

Monday night's Yiddish audience were well pleased with the lecture delivered by Sergt. Walter McJary on the subject of "Canada and the Empire." Sergt. McJary dealt freely with the L. W. W. Bohemianism, Reconstruction and other up-to-the-minute problems.

Although the cost of living commodities has gone up considerably, the price of real liquor and moonshine stands at about the same rate before the dawn of prohibition. Moonshine is now selling over the top at from \$10 to \$15 per bottle, and the high-cost-of-living commissioners figure that this price is not excessive, considering the hazardous occupation of the poor manufacturer.

On the eve of East Knight's departure from Sunnyside hospital for Frank, the patients and staff of that institution presented to him a companion set of G. B. D. pipes, a Dunhill's "Brayere" pipe, a silver engraved cigarette case, and a silver-mounted cigarette holder. And to Mrs. Knight, a pyrex casserole was presented in recognition of the good work she accomplished.

The children at the local public school are taking great interest in the fire drills given them every few days by Principal Conway. To test the effect of the instructions given them, members of the board visited the school one day recently and rang the alarm. In an instant the team of boys were at their post and ready for action, while in even less time the school was rid safely of its three hundred inmates.

J. H. Wilson, of Calgary, arrived here on Monday, to take the position of manager of the local branch of the Union Bank of Canada. J. M. Windsor, who has been manager for a number of years, leaves with his family next week for Boissevain, Manitoba, where he has been assigned the management of a bank branch.

Collectors are busy around town collecting funds for the purchase of a covering for Pick's lounge, which has become worn out or very much dilapidated. This is a most worthy cause, considering the fact that the emperor has sacrificed his all, to the extent of about \$50,000 for the benefit of the land of his adoption through the medium of the Canadian Victory Loans.

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